Annual Report

Town of Northfield

New Hampshire

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Northfield, New Hampshire

For the Year Ending December 31

1946

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Auditors,
Road Agent, School Board
and other Officers of the Town and School District

OF THE

Town of Northfield

New Hampshire

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1946

ALSO

Vital Statistics for year ending Dec. 31, 1946

W. R. MORRISON, PRINTER
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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR
Dixon F. Vancore

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT
Vincent P. Leary

SELECTMEN
Albert A. Carr Vincent P. Leary
Lawrence D. Connolly

TOWN CLERK
Simeon R. Walker

TOWN TREASURER
Martha P. Carr

TAX COLLECTOR
Harry W. Fifield

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
Doris Hanchett Harlan Pettingill Winnifred Walker

SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST
Harold V. Smith Howard H. Alieff Lewis D. Read

HIGHWAY AGENT
Guy B. Huckins

HEALTH OFFICER
Simeon R. Walker

TILTON NORTHFIELD UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

John W. Crawford Winnifred R. Walker
Helen Randall Joel Nordholm Brackett Hill

Donald P. Mattoon, Supt. of School

TILTON NORTHFIELD FIRE PRECINCT FIREWARDS

Arthur A. Covieo George Plummer Roy Jordan

Warrant for the One Hundredth and sixty-seventh Annual Town Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L.S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Northfield, in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Northfield Town House in said Northfield, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations upon the following:
    1. Town officers' salaries
    2. Town officers' expenses
    3. Election and registration expenses
    4. Expenses of town hall
    5. Police Department
    6. Fire Department (out of precinct)
    7. Health Department
    8. Vital Statistics
    9. Sewer Maintenance
    10. Town Road Maintenance

11. General Expenses of Highway Department
12. New Equipment for Highway Department
13. Library
14. Town Welfare and Relief including Old Age Assistance
15. Care of Cemeteries
16. Interest on loans
17. Memorial Day exercises

3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for white pine blister rust control (by request).

4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1100.00 to the Tilton-Northfield District Nurse Association.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to the Franklin Hospital Association.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $629.73 for maintenance, construction or reconstruction of Class V Highways (if aid is desired under this provision, the town must raise $629.73 and the State will contribute $2518.90).

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $128.00 to the Lakes Region Assoc. of New Hampshire (by request).

8. To see if the town will vote to adopt the so-called Australian Ballot System (by request).

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 to purchase a two way portable radio unit for use of the fire dept. (by petition).

10. To see if the town will vote to construct a sewer on Cofran Avenue, and to raise and appropriate money

for the same (by petition).

11. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to secure the assistance of the State Tax Commission in reappraising the taxable property in the town in order to secure greater equality as between taxpayers, and to insure the assessment of all property in the town on the same standard of value, and to raise and appropriate money to pay for the same.

12. To see if the town will vote to create a Park Commission to have charge of children's recreation and beautifying the town in conjunction with the town of Tilton (by request).

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for recreational purposes to be expended under the supervision of the Park Commission (by request).

14. To see if the town will allow the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

15. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of the officers as printed.

16. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

ALBERT A. CARR,
VINCENT P. LEARY,
LAWRENCE D. CONNOLLY,
Selectmen of Northfield

A true copy of Warrant—Attest

ALBERT A. CARR,
VINCENT P. LEARY,
LAWRENCE D. CONNOLLY.

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947 compared with actual Revenue and Expenditures of the previous year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue	Estimated Revenue
Interest and Dividends Tax	$738.57	$725.00
Railroad Tax	102.92	100.00
Savings Bank Tax	139.46	150.00
Reimbursement a/c State Forest Land	2.21	2.21
Rent of Town Property	219.00	219.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,109.27	1,000.00
Poll Taxes	1,000.00	1,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	61.00	61.00
	$3,372.43	$3,257.21

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expenditures 1946	Estimated Expenditures 1947
Town officer salaries	$1,450.00	$1,450.00
General expenses	279.78	350.00
Election and Registration expenses	728.62	500.00
Expenses of town hall	675.77	600.00
Police Dept.	99.00	1,500.00
Fire Dept. (out of precinct)	407.42	600.00
Health Dept. incl. Hospital Approp.	1,321.80	1,300.00
Vital Statistics	38.75	50.00

Sewer Const. and Maintenance	192.50	1,350.00
Town Road Maintenance	9,782.35	7,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	3,614.14	5,000.00
New Equip. for Highway Dept.	2,766.18	3,500.00
Town Road Aid	627.32	629.73
Library	1,100.00	1,100.00
Old Age Assistance	1,026.68	1,200.00
Town Welfare and Relief	451.73	1,200.00
Memorial Day	100.00	100.00
Parks and Playgrounds	none	200.00
Town Cemeteries	213.20	250.00
Interest on Loans	469.52	500.00
Payments on Debt	1,000.00	1,000.00
Precinct Taxes	7,103.86	8,000.00
County Taxes	2,838.92	3,000.00
School Taxes	27,853.25	33,000.00
Total Expenditures	$64,140.79	$73,879.73
Total estimated expenditures		73,879.73
Total estimated revenue from all sources except property taxes		3,257.21
Amount to be raised by property taxes		$70,622.52

Total estimated revenue from all sources except property taxes deducted from total estimated expenditures gives estimated amount to be raised by property taxes.

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY April 1, 1946

Lands and Buildings including growing wood and timber	$905,971.00
Electric services	66,750.00
Horses, 69	6,725.00
Oxen, 6	750.00
Cows, 319	31,900.00
Other Neat Stock, 84	6,415.00
Sheep, 2	20.00
Hogs, 3	60.00
Fowls, 2,275	2,275.00
Fur-Bearing Animals, 20	100.00
Portable Mills, 2	2,000.00
Wood, Lumber	14,060.00
Gasoline Pumps and tanks	800.00
Stock in trade	80,600.00
Aqueducts	85,400.00
Mills and Machinery	171,600.00
Total Valuation exclusive of soldiers' exemptions	$1,375,426.00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town officers Salaries	$1,450.00
General Expenses	350.00
Election and Registration Expenses	650.00
Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	350.00
Police Dept.	150.00
Fire Dept. (out of precinct fires)	400.00
Health Dept. including Hospital Approp.	1,400.00
Vital Statistics	35.00
Town Road Air (Class V Highways)	627.32
Town Road Maintenance	7,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept. incl. new equip.	7,500.00
Sewer Maintenance	350.00
Library	1,100.00
Old Age Assistance	1,200.00
Town welfare and relief	1,000.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Cemeteries	200.00
Interest on loans	650.00
Payment on Principal of Debt	1,000.00
County Taxes	2,838.92
School Taxes	27,853.25
Precinct Taxes	7,103.86
Total, Town School and Precinct Approps.	$63,808.35

TILTON-NORTHFIELD UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT—Tilton-Northfield Fire Precinct

Appropriation	$76,394.00
Overlay	944.46
Total Taxes	$77,338.46

TAXES

Tilton	$49,142.23
Northfield	28,196.23
Total	$77,338.46

APPROPRIATIONS

Tilton	$48,540.75
Northfield	27,853.25
Total	$76,394.00
Appropriation	$18,660.00
Overlay	10.77
Total Taxes	$18,670.77

TAXES

Tilton	$11,562.40
Northfield	7,108.37
Total	$18,670.77

APPROPRIATIONS

Tilton	$11,556.14
Northfield	7,103.86
Total	$18,660.00

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash:	
In hands of Treasurer	$ 3,229.17
Accounts due to the Town:	
Due from State	27.00
Due from County	216.00
Other bills due town	247.00
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1945	51.48
Levy of 1944	120.97
Levy of 1943	43.23
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1946	6,252.85
Levy of 1945	256.46
Total Assets	$10,444.16

BALANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the Town:	
Due to State a/c Spec. Poll Taxes	$ 558.00
Due to School Dis. a/c 1946 Dog Taxes	319.95
Temporary Loan	8,500.00
Total Liabilities	$ 9,377.95
Excess of assets over liabilities (SURPLUS)	1,066.21
	$10,444.16

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	$10,000.00
Furniture	500.00
Highway Dept., land and buildings	4,000.00
Equipment	5,000.00
Park and Playground	4,000.00
Lake Sproutland	300.00
Emery Woodland	100.00
Tilton Woodland	100.00
Arch Hill	2,500.00
Beaupre Woodland	200.00
	$26,700.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received for 598 Motor Vehicle Permits			$1,246.27
Received for 155 Dog Licenses		$382.50	
Received for 2 Kennel Licenses		24.00	
		$406.50	
Less Fees	$31.40		
Less Postage	1.02		
	32.42	32.42	
		$374.08	374.08
Received for 4 Town Histories			18.00
Received for Filing Fees for Primary			5.00
Total Paid to Treasurer			$1,643.35

Respectfully submitted,

SIMEON R. WALKER,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

LEVY OF 1946

Dr.

Total taxes Committed to Collector	$62,903.73	
Added Taxes	136.44	
Interest Collected	13.26	
		$63,053.43

Cr.

Total remittances to Treasurer	$56,063.88	
Abatements	736.70	
Uncollected January 1, 1947	6,252.85	
		63,053.43

LEVY OF 1945

Dr.

Uncollected January 1, 1946	$6,430.56	
Interest Collected	186.48	
		6,617.00

Cr.

Total remittances to Treasurer	$6,112.84	
Abatements	147.70	
Uncollected January 1, 1947	256.46	
		6,617.00

TAX SALES

Dr.

Total unredeemed as of December 31, 1945	$276.78	
1945 Tax Sale	321.18	
		597.96

Cr.

Total redemptions paid to Treas.	$121.93	
Fees and Costs of sale	36.75	
Property Deeded to Town	223.60	
Total, Unredeemed as of December 31, 1946	215.68	
		597.96

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY W. FIFIELD,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1946		$4,364.84
Selectmen and other sources		610.85
Harry W. Fifield, Collector of taxes		
National Bank Stock taxes	$61.00	
Property taxes, 1945	5,384.30	
Property taxes, 1946	55,050.62	
Regular Poll taxes, 1945	236.00	
Special Poll taxes, 1945	384.00	
Regular Poll taxes, 1946	1,000.00	
Redemptions from sales, 1943	11.53	
Redemptions from sales, 1944	88.34	
Redemptions from sales, 1945	22.06	
Interest Collected	199.74	
		62,437.59
Simeon R. Walker, Town Clerk		
Motor Vehicle permits	$1,246.27	
Dog Licenses	374.08	
Filing Fees	5.00	
Town Histories	18.00	
		1,643.35
State Treasurer		
Railroad Tax	$102.92	
Savings Bank Tax	139.46	
Interest and dividend tax	738.57	
Reimbursement a/c State forest land	2.21	

Fire investigation	2.00	
Training Session	6.00	
		991.16
Land Sale, Chandler Lot		2,500.00
Sale, Herrick Property		500.00
Sale, International Truck		250.00
Sale, Mead-Morrison Tractor		200.00
Citizen's Nat. Bank, temporary loan		2,000.00
Wheaton Bros., rent of town property		144.00
Friendship Grange, rent of town hall		75.00
County Commissioners, Reimbursements welfare and relief		1,408.44
		$77,125.23

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Orders	$73,896.06	
Cash on hand December 31, 1946	3,229.17	
		77,125.23

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA P. CARR,
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:		
From Local Taxes:		
Property taxes—current year	$55,050.62	
Poll taxes—current year	1,000.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	61.00	
Total of current year's taxes collected and remitted		$56,111.62
Property taxes—previous years		5,384.30
Poll taxes—previous years, Reg. @ $2		236.00
Poll taxes—previous years, Spec. @ $3		384.00
Interest received on taxes		199.74
Tax sales redeemed		121.93
From State:		
Interest and Dividend tax		738.57
Railroad Tax		102.92
Savings Bank Tax		139.46
Reimbursement a/c State Forest Land		2.21
Fire training session		8.00
Bounties		3.50
From County:		
Welfare and Relief		1,408.44
From Local sources except taxes:		
Rent of town property		219.00
Dog licenses		374.08
Filing Fes		5.00

Sale of obsolete highway equip.	450.00
Sale of Town Histories	18.00
Income from Highway Dept.	607.35
Reg of motor vehicles, 1945 Permits	13.39
Reg. of motor vehicles, 1946 Permits	1,232.88
Receipts other than current revenue:	
Temporary Loans	2,000.00
Sale of town property acquired by tax deeds	3,000.00
Total Receipts from all sources	$72,760.39

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:	
Town officers' salaries	$1,450.00
General expenses	279.78
Election and registration expenses	728.62
Expenses of town hall	675.77
Protection of Persons and Property:	
Police Department	99.00
Fire Dept. (out of precinct)	407.42
Bounties	27.00
Damage by dogs	54.13
Health:	
Health Dept. incl. special approp.	1,321.80
Vital Statistics	38.75
Sewer maintenance	192.50
Highways and Bridges:	
Town Road maintenance (Summer $4,771.80) (Winter $5,010.55)	9,782.35
General Expenses of highway dept. incl. new equipment	6,380.32
Town Road Aid	627.32
Library:	
Library approp.	1,100.00
Public Welfare:	
Old Age Assistance	1,026.68
Town welfare and relief	451.73
County and transient welfare and relief	1,465.14

Patriotic Purposes:	
Memorial Day Approp.	100.00
Public Service Enterprises:	
Care of town cemeteries	213.20
Unclassified:	
Motor Vehicle permit fees	137.00
Taxes bought by town	321.18
Interest:	
Interest paid on loans	469.52
Indebtedness:	
Payments on loans	8,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:	
1946 Taxes paid to county	2,838.92
Payments to precinct	7,103.86
Payments to School District	28,104.07
Total payments for all purposes	$73,896.06

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Albert A. Carr, selectman	$400.00
Vincent P. Leary, selectman	300.00
Lawrence D. Connolly, selectman	200.00
Martha P. Carr, town treasurer	75.00
Simeon R. Walker, town clerk	75.00
Harry W. Fifield, tax collector	400.00
	$1,450.00

GENERAL EXPENSES

American City Magazine, municipal index	$ 3.00
Assoc. of N. H. Assessors, 1946 dues	2.00
Katherine A. Crowley, 1945 conveyances	36.89
Edson C. Eastman Co., stationery supplies	18.30
Harry W. Fifield, supplies and expenses	30.00
Gales Insurance Agency, bonds	67.50
Jed W. Hunkins, 1945 Audit	15.00
Vira Holmes, Register, list of estates	.30
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Tel. Service	32.25
Carroll Stafford, Register, list of estates	.30
Tilton Post Office, Postage	7.50
Towne & Robie, Adv.	2.13
Daniel C. Real, 1945 Audit	15.00
Daniel C. Read, printing	30.75
Simeon R. Walker, supplies and expenses	16.86
Everett Whitlock, map	2.00
	$279.78

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

George Boyce, supervisor of checklist	$ 45.50
George Bayley, ballot clerk	7.00
Martha P. Carr, ballot clerk	3.50
Friendship Grange, dinners	31.15
Jed Hunkins, ballot clerk	7.00
Leon Peabody, supervisor of checklist	45.50
Daniel C. Read, supervisor and printing	72.92
Patrick O'Shea, ballot clerk	7.00
Willis R. Morrison, Town Report and printing	459.50
Maude A. Sanborn, ballot clerk	3.50
Towne & Robie, printing checklists and notices	34.05
Dixon F. Vancore, Moderator	12.00
	$728.62

EXPENSES OF TOWN HALL

R. B. Chalmers, insurance	$218.25
George Drouin, wood	54.00
Gales Insurance Agency, insurance	126.84
Blanche Huckins, wood	90.00
Public Service Co., electric service	97.14
Lewis Read, labor	7.80
Tilton Coal & Supply Co., fuel	64.24
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co., water	17.50
	$675.77

POLICE DEPARTMENT

T. H. Andrews, police service	$18.00
Lawrence Dubia, police service	3.00
Walter Daniels, police service	25.00
City of Franklin, police service	10.00

Guy Huckins, police service	15.00
Roy Sanborn, police service	13.00
Town of Tilton, use of lobby	15.00
	$99.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT (Out of Precinct Fires)

Glendon Lockwood, forest fire payrolls	$216.61
Glendon Lockwood, forest fire warden's salary	25.00
State of New Hampshire, forest fire tools	78.00
Tilton-Northfield Fire Precinct, forest fire payrolls	87.81
	$407.42

BOUNTIES

54 Hedgehog bounties	$27.00

DAMAGE BY DOGS

T. H. Andrews, police service	$30.00
Guy Huckins, police service	10.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	14.13
	$54.13

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Franklin Hospital Assoc., 1946 Approp.	$100.00
Tilton-Northfield District Nurse Assoc., 1946 Approp.	1,200.00
Simeon R. Walker, Health Officer's salary and expenses	21.80
	$1,321.80

VITAL STATISTICS

Dr. T. H. Huckins, returns	$ .75

Simeon R. Walker, recording fees	38.00
	$38.75

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co., water for flush tanks	$192.50

TOWN ROAD MAINTENANCE

Summer Maintenance	$4,771.80
Winter Maintenance	5,010.55
General Expenses of Highway Dept. including new equipment	6,380.32
	$16,162.67

(See detailed report of Road Agent)

TOWN, ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire, 1946 approp. for class 5 highways	$627.32

LIBRARY

Hall Memorial Library, 1946 Approp.	$1,110.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance	$1,026.68
Town Welfare and Relief	451.73
County and Transient welfare and relief	1,465.14
	$2,943.55

MEMORIAL DAY

American Legion Post No. 49, 1946 Approp.	$100.00

CARE OF TOWN CEMETERIES

Guy B. Huckins, labor payroll	$113.20
Park Cemetery Assoc., 1946 Approp.	100.00
	$213.20

UNCLASSIFIED

Harry W. Fifield, Collector, 1945 Tax Sales	$321.18
Simeon R. Walker, 1946 Motor Vehicle permit fees	137.00
	$458.18

INTEREST

Citizens National Bank, interest on notes	$469.52

INDEBTEDNESS

Citizens National Bank, payments on notes	$8,500.00

TAXES PAID TO COUNTY

County of Merrimack, 1946 county taxes in full, Taxes Paid to Precinct	$2,838.92
Tilton-Northfield Fire Precinct, 1946 Precinct taxes in full	$7,103.86

PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Tilton-Northfield Union School District, 1946 school approp. in full	$27,853.25
Tilton-Northfield Union School District, 1945 dog taxes in full	250.82
Total payments for all purposes	$73,896.06

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT A. CARR,
VINCENT P. LEARY,
LAWRENCE D. CONNOLLY,
Selectmen of Northfield.

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

LABOR PAYROLL

Leaonard Allard	$ 71.80
John Barnes	685.35
Maynard Brown	17.40
Sam Blais	19.20
Leslie Golden	13.20
Richard Chase	60.10
John Cole	151.90
Frank Cross, Jr.	82.80
Harold Cross	42.00
Carroll Colby	4.80
Richard Chamberlain	9.80
Joseph Cullen	4.00
Lewis Bell	2.80
Benjamin Durgin	296.90
Philip Dubuc	1,434.20
Charles Flanders	695.20
Lawrence Flanders	1,343.90
Guy Huckins	1,768.40
Donald Huckins	188.40
Herbert Huckins	25.80
Oscar Huckins	136.10
Raymond Huckins	6.00
Herbert Harbour	53.30
Harold Harbour	21.00
Kenneth Harbour	1.20
Philip Huckins	59.10

William Pellerin	12.60
Joseph Pellerin	2.40
Charles Lewis	252.70
Wesley Lewis	78.40
D. Lloyd	2.80
Ben Leone	5.00
Armand Nedeau	8.00
John Robinson	1.20
Thomas Sirard	30.00
M. Sirard	2.40
Bert Smith	20.00
George Savage	11.00
John Sheehan	41.50
William Thompson	207.60
Lewis Read	10.95
Paul LaChapelle	7.20
Robert Harbour	7.80
Henry Durgin	4.80
Eston Whitehouse	18.75

TRUCK PAYROLL

Frank Cross	$ 18.00
William Foster	48.00
Joseph Harbour	179.30
Guy Huckins	1,128.50
Warren Hill	34.00
John Sheehan	101.20
A. LaChapelle	7.20
Town of Tilton	105.00

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT INCLUDING NEW EQUIPMENT

Carrol Foster, gravel	$ 88.00
Albert Carr, gravel	121.20

Geo. Greenwood, labor	15.71
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Tel. Service	52.90
Tracy Chase, supplies	80.15
Bryant & Lawrence, supplies	174.92
C. P. Stevens, supplies	218.43
Town of Tilton, lumber	36.00
Shell Oil Co., supplies	111.09
R. C. Hazelton Co., supplies	202.33
Tilton Coal & Supply, fuel	176.62
E. H. Bickford, Gas and Oil	407.69
John Varick Co., supplies	2.35
Kidder Lumber Co., lumber	5.85
C. E. Marden, labor	31.23
A. L. Rogers, supplies	4.00
C. A. Dorval Co., supplies	44.36
Mack Truck Co., repairs	119.72
N. H. Explosive Co., supplies	354.87
N. H. Highway Dept., supplies	29.88
Public Service Co., supplies	.95
Ken's Service Station, supplies	36.34
Harold Jones, Lumber	31.98
Page Belting Co., supplies	6.35
Horace Wheaton, supplies	4.00
Chemical Corp., Salt	105.70
Central Garage, repairs and supplies	871.20
H. H. McGuire Co., Cold Patch	130.00
Gales Insurance Agency, Insurance	329.97
Leo French	8.82
Thomas Murphy	6.00
Granite State Motors, New Truck and Body	2,766.18

J. Mahoney, repairs	46.93
Grand Total, town maintenance and general expenses of highway dept. including new equipment	$16,162.67

Respectfully submitted,

GUY B. HUCKINS,
Road Agent.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Having examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Clerk, Road Agent and Trustees of Trust Funds for the year ending December 31, 1946, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ARTHUR H. ERHOLM,
MATTHEW MANSWORTH,
Auditors.

Report of Trust Funds of Town of Northfield for Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31, 1946

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	Amount of Principal	How Invested	Rate of Interest	Balance on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on hand at End of Year
1927	Sevira Streeter, care Williams cemetery	$100.00	Dep. Iona Savings Bank	1½	$ 2.25	$ 1.54	$	$3.79
1780	School Fund, school purpose	840.00	" " "			12.65	12.65	
1901	Fannie Cofran, care of Hodgdon cemetery	100.00	" " "		1.87	1.53		3.40
1909	Mary A Neal, care Oak Hill cemetery	100.00	" " "		1.60	1.53		3.13
1908	C J Chamberlain, care " "	50.00	" " "		.75	.70		1.51
1914	Darius Dearborn, care Hodgdon cemetery	100.00	" " "		1.62	1.53		3.15
1780	Parsonage Fund	440.00	" " "		44.28	7.28		51.50
1919	Jas&Abigail Glines, care Williams cemetery	100.00	" " "		1.50	1.53		3.09
1921	Gawn E. Gorrel, care burial lot	100.00	" " "		46.12	2.20		48.32
1921	Ellen F. Chadwick, care Williams cemetery	50.00	" " "		1.11	.70		1.87
1935	A B Winslow, care Williams cemetery	200.00	" " "		1.92	3.03		4 95
1927	Reuben Hutchins, care Hodgdon cemetery	50.00	" " "		.35	.70		1.11
1922	A B Winslow, Union Church	105.00	" " "		20.31	1.97		28.28
1927	Union Church, Lumber Union Church	145.76	" " "		8.90	2.32		11.28
1943	Charles W. Bryant Fund, Park cemetery	200.00	U.S. War Sav'gs Bond Ser. G	2½	5.02		5.02	
1940	Leroy A. Glines Fund, Williams cemetery	50.00	Dep. Iona Savings Bank	1½	.44			.44
		2,730.76			138.70	44.85	17.67	165.88

EXPENDED AS FOLLOWS:—

Ned C. Rogers, Treas. Union School District,	$12.65
Park Cemetery Asso., Bryant Fund income	5.02

DORIS B. HANCHETT,
HARLAND W. PETTENGILL,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER, Trustees

Having examined the account of Trustees of the Trust Fund of Town of Northfield, N. H., I find them correctly cast and properly vouched and funds deposited in Iona Savings Bank. A. H. ERHOLM, Auditor.

Tilton and Northfield Library Association

RECEIPTS

Balance Feb. 1, 1946	$440.47
From Hall Memorial Library Association	400.00
	$840.47

EXPENDITURES

Service charge Bank	$ .45
Book set	25.15
274 new books	351.36
20 magazines	66.70
Supplies	298.91
Balance Feb. 1, 1947	97.90
	$840.47

IONA SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNT

Book No. 16629	
Balance Feb. 1, 1946	$1,216.86
Interest June 1, 1946	9.12
Interest Dec. 1, 1946	9.19
Balance Feb. 1, 1947	$1,235.17
Book No. 16843	
Balance Feb. 1, 1946	$1,169.53
Interest June 1, 1946	8.77
Interest Dec. 1, 1946	8.84
Balance Feb. 1,1947	$1,187.14
Book No. 12404	
Balance Feb. 1, 1946	$900.83
Interest June 1, 1946	6.75
Interest Dec. 1, 1946	6.80
Balance Feb. 1, 1947	$914.38

ALAN B. STEWART, Treasurer.

HALL MEMORIAL LIBRARY
REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

Receipts

December 31st, 1945, balance on hand		$1,053.67
Town of Northfield, N.H., Part of Appropriation		500.00
Town of Tilton, N.H., Appropriation in full		1,100.00
Book Fine		1.00
Total receipts		$2,654.67

Payments

Mary Osgood, salary as librarian	$800.00	
Tilton-Northfield Library Association, Alan Stewart, Treas.	400.00	
George Fisher, Services as janitor	200.00	
Tilton Coal & Supply Co., fuel	124.93	
Frank Dubia, painting and repairs	103.51	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lights	42.56	
Bryant & Lawrence, supplies	38.20	
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co., water rent	14.35	
Geo. Greenwood & Son, repairs	3.25	
Central Garage & Supply Co., fertilizer	5.25	
Sunco Gardens, care of urn	2.00	
Total payments		1,734.15
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946		920.52

ELIZABETH PAGE FUND

Savings Account No. 15799:

Balance on hand December 31st, 1945	$2,190.25
June and December, 1946 dividend	32.98
Balance on hand December, 31st, 1946	$2,223.23

JOSEPH W. MORRISON FUND

Savings Account No. 17448

Balance on hand December 31st, 1945	$2,250.00
June and December, 1946 dividend	33.88
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	$2,283.88

ELIZABETH A. HERRICK FUND

In memory of her father and mother, The Reverend Marcellus A. Herrick and Hannah Putnam Herrick.

Savings Account No. 546

Balance on hand December 31st, 1945	$1,055.04
April and October, 1946, dividend	15.87
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	$1,070.91

MITTIE LOUISE EMERY FUND

Savings Account No. 788

Balance on hand December 31st, 1945	$2,010.00
April and October, 1946, dividend	30.25
Balance on hand December 31st, 1946	$2,040.25

WALTER B. HILL,
CLARA D. FELLOWS,
C. S. COTTON,
Trustees.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD FIRE DISTRICT WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of Tilton Fire District, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Tilton Town Hall, Friday, March 14, 1947, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

4. To choose three firewards for the ensuing year.

5. To choose an auditor for the ensuing year.

6. To hear the reports of the treasurer and firewards and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To see if precinct will vote to dispense with the services of night watchman. His services are no longer required as night watchman under present fire alarm system. This officer should be under the jurisdiction of the selectmen of both towns.

8. To see how much money the district will vote to raise for the pay of administration, firemen, nightwatchmen, and other incidental expenses.

9. To see if precinct will vote to eliminate from the water contract for hydrants, Hydrant No. 5 in Tilton located on East Main Street at Railroad Crossing and Hydrant No. 5

in Northfield located on Elm Street opposite Upper Bridge. The above Hydrants are of no benefit to the precinct.

10. To see what action the district will vote to take in regard to renewing the lighting contract and raise money for same.

11. To see what action the district will vote to take in regard to renewing the water contract for hydrants and raise money for same.

12. To see if precinct will vote to install a light on East Main Street near residence of John Crawford and raise money for same. (By request)

13. To see if precinct will vote to install a light on Park Street at intersection of Elm Street, also two additional lights on Park Street to be left to discretion of Firewards and raise money for same. (By request and Petition)

14. To see if precinct will vote to install a light on High Street between residence of Asa Thompson and Herbert Shiatte and raise money for same. (By request)

15. To see if precinct will vote to install another light on Prospect Street at discretion of Firewards and raise money for same. (By request)

16. To see if precinct will vote to purchase three new Fire Alarm Boxes; two for installation on Main Street and one for emergency. One of present boxes to be installed near residence of A. A. Carr in Northfield and the other on Coffran Avenue, and raise money for same.

17. To see if the precinct will vote to install a street light on Winter Street near residence of Fred Harrison and raise necessary money for same. (By petition)

18. To see if the precinct will vote to take $900.00 from amount voted at March meeting in 1946 for stand pipes and apply same towards purchase of Radio Equipment for Fire Station.

19. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands this 20th day of February, 1947.

ARTHUR A. COVIEO,
ROY A. JORDAN,
GEORGE E. PLUMMER,
Firewards.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD FIRE PRECINCT

To the Inhabitants of Tilton and Northfield:

It is a pleasure at this time to submit to you a brief summary of the activities within the Precinct under our jurisdiction during the past year.

We deeply regret the delay in installing the Stand Pipes voted at our last annual meeting, but priorities and scarcity of certain connections have prevented the contractor from completing the installation. We have been assured that the pipes will be available by early spring.

The purchase of a rescue car and equipment to meet our requirements has been completely out of the question. We have used every means possible to make contact with some company selling such cars, and thus-far we get the same reply, "sometime". We trust one may be available in the near future.

The new electric hose dryer has been installed and so-far has proven itself ideal in every respect. The hose is dried more effectively and without any strain on the couplings as compared with the old method of being strung up in a loft; and they are also far more accessible in case of an emergency.

During the past year considerable work has been done towards repairing and installing new wires to the fire alarm system. There remain many items to be completed at an early date in order to have same function effectively; such as, replacing insulators, cutting out limbs, pulling up slack wires, and etc.

During the summer months, the members of Engine No. 1 and Engine No. 2 have faithfully attended the weekly practice meetings which has greatly increased their efficiency in han-

dling the equipment alloted each member at a fire.

The inspection of homes by the firemen during the year has proven most beneficial, and the very fine cooperation given the firemen by you citizens at the time of inspection is greatly appreciated. We are certain from our observation that many fires have been prevented by your acceptance of the advice and instructions from the members of the fire department during the inspection. The merchants and others in the business section are to be commended for their fine cooperation in keeping basements and premises clean and free from combustible materials.

Early last Fall, we were given a demonstration of the auto two-way radio. Everyone present was greatly impressed with the fine reception brought into the Fire Station from autos located at Soldiers' Home, Lochmere, Haggett Farm in Northfield and other locations; contact was also made with stations in Concord and Franklin. We sincerely hope that the Towns of Tilton and Northfield may see their way clear to purchase and install one of these radios.

There were 27 more fire alarms during the year than the previous year; 19 of these being house calls caused by chimney fires with no great damage resulting. May we suggest at this time that you pay closer attention to your chimneys and have them cleaned at least once during the year. This may be the means of saving you a great deal of trouble and expense, providing a large quantity of chemical has to be used in extinguishing same.

Article No. 15 in the Warrant calls for the elimination of the night watchman. This position originated years ago, previous to the installation of the alarm system, merely as protection in case of fires within the precinct. Now that we have an up-to-date alarm system that anyone can operate

by simply pulling down a lever within the fire alarm boxes which are conveniently located about the precinct, we do not consider it necessary to have a night watchman. This man should be employed by the two towns as an officer to work in conjunction with a day officer, and the expense borne by the towns instead of the precinct as at present.

We have been approached by many citizens living just outside the precinct limits, relative more efficient fire protection. We believe some way should be provided to assist in the protection of their homes, and also assist in reduction of their insurance rates. Several conferences have been held with the officials of both towns, and the consensus of opinion has been that added protection could be given these home owners by installing three water holes; one to be on School Street, one on the Cross Road, and one on Park Street. The cost will be negligible compared with the amount of taxable property that could be saved in case of a conflagration; whereas, at present they have no protection. Due consideration should be given this vital subject.

In closing, may we express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the firemen for their loyal support during the past year; and to you citizens of Tilton and Northfield, allow us to express our appreciation for your whole-hearted cooperation at all times. Your willingness to cooperate in our financial requirements has made it possible to build and equip what we consider an up-to-date fire station with apparatus and members of two engine companies excelled by none within the state for its size.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR A. COVIEO,
ROY JORDAN,
GEORGE PLUMMER,
Firewards.

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENSE

Administration	$520.00
Police Protection	2,154.05
Fire Protection	4,612.08
Fire Station Maintenance	620.05
Wearing Apparel	92.10
Insurance and Bond	333.29
Printing	17.25
Line Up-keep	181.74
Freight and Express	22.08
Phone Service	36.09
Hydrant Maintenance	73.00
Fire Truck Maintenance	104.18
New Equipment and Accessories	2,225.60
Fire Station Repairs	183.53
Street Lighting	5,811.57
Heating System Installation	107.09
Notes Payable	1,000.00
Interest on Loans	181.58
Withholding Tax	68.90
Postage and Envelopes	5.00
Retirement Fund and Dues	168.00
Miscellaneous Items	86.90
	$18,604.08

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSE IN DETAIL

No. 1 — Administration		
Roy Jordan, chief	$200.00	
Arthur A. Covieo, fireward	100.00	
Roy Jordan, fireward	75.00	
George Plummer, fireward	75.00	
Brackett Hill, treasurer	20.00	
R. B. Chalmers, collecting taxes	25.00	
H. W. Fifield, collecting taxes	25.00	
		$520.00
No. 2 — Police Protection		
Thomas H. Andrews	$1,804.40	
Lawrence J. Dubia	349.65	
		$2,154.05
No. 3 — Fire Protection		
Engine Co. No. 1	$895.57	
Engine Co. No. 2	983.19	
Tilton & Northfield Aqueduct	2,633.32	
Jos. Robert	100.00	
		$4,612.08
No. 4 — Fire Station Maintenance		
Public Service Co.	$140.85	
H. J. Thompson	62.94	
Tilton Pharmacy	1.24	
Tilton Coal & Supply Co.	75.84	
Bryant & Lawrence	22.92	
Julius Udoff	23.85	
Manchester Oxygen Co.	8.05	

Geo. Buckminster	4.36	
Forrest Boynton	280.00	
		$620.05

No. 5 — Wearing Apparel

Fire Protection Co.	$90.00	
Beaulieu & Carroll	2.10	
		$92.10

No. 6 — Insurance & Bond

Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co.	$200.00	
R. B. Chalmers	82.35	
Gale Insurance Agency	50.94	
		$333.29

No. 7 — Printing

W. R. Morrison	$12.25	
Edna Southwick	5.00	
		$17.25

No. 8 — Line Up-keep

Gamewell Co.	$20.70	
Bryant & Lawrence	3.75	
Tilton Radio & Elec. Service	96.93	
Line Material Co.	7.34	
G. H. Buckminster	53.02	
		$181.74

No. 9 — Freight & Express

Boston & Maine R. R.	$18.99	
Willey Co.	3.29	
		$22.08

No. 10 — Phone Service

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	$36.09	
		$36.09

No. 11 — Hydrant Maintenance

Joseph Harbour	$43.00	

Tilton Radio & Elec. Service	15.00	
Maurice Cote	3.00	
James Lockwood	3.00	
Chester Bosworth	3.00	
Richard Bell	1.50	
Howard Adams	4.50	
		$73.00

No. 12 — Truck Maintenance

Joseph Roberts	$45.47	
C. E. Marden	1.25	
Central Garage & Supply Co.	23.16	
Fire Protection Co.	15.25	
C. P. Stevens Co.	17.00	
Granite State Motors	2.05	
		$104.18

No. 13 — New Equipment & Accessories

Amer. LaFrance Foamite Co.	$233.37	
Wood Engineering Service	815.76	
Fire Protection Co.	471.75	
Harry J. Lovell Co.	525.00	
Arch Appliance Co.	12.00	
Dyer-Clark Co.	151.64	
Eastern Fire Equipment Co.	16.08	
		$2,225.60

No. 14 — Station Repairs

Boulia-Gorrell Co.	$25.20	
Bryant & Lawrence	53.57	
Donald Perthel	32.13	
Albert Boudreau	72.63	
		$183.53

No. 15 — Street Lighting

Public Service Company	$5,811.57	
		$5,811.57

No. 16 — Heating System Installation		
George Greenwood	$107.09	
		$107.09
No. 17 — Notes Payable		
Citizens National Bank	$1,000.00	
		$1,000.00
No. 18 — Interest		
Citizens National Bank	$91.58	
Iona Savings Bank	90.00	
		$181.58
No. 19 — Withholding Tax		
Collector of Internal Revenue	$68.90	
		$68.90
No. 20 — Postage & Envelopes		
Iona Savings Bank	$5.00	
		$5.00
No. 21 — Retirement Fund & Dues		
State of New Hampshire	$165.00	
International Assoc.	3.00	
		$168.00
No. 22 — Miscellaneous Items		
Sunco Gardens	$10.00	
Mrs. Jos. Harbour	60.00	
Rev. E. G. Ernst	2.00	
Geo. Bailey	10.00	
Filmark Corp.	4.90	
		$86.90
		$18,604.08

NEW EQUIPMENT PURCHASED DURING 1946

American LaFrance Foamite Co.		
Ladder hooks	$6.00	
Ladder irons	2.00	
I No. 3 shut-off nozzle	27.55	
1 Longrange Wire cutter	44.00	
1 Single hydrant gate	20.75	
1 Double connection	5.15	
2 10 ft. pick poles	22.50	
1 Extension holder	10.00	
1 Acid siphon	10.00	
1 Rockwood fog nozzle	51.00	
2 P. B. Adapter	6.00	
1 Play pipe C. B.	22.00	
2 Play pipe P. B.	40.00	
		$266.95
Wood Engineering Co.		
Additional work on dodge fire truck body	$350.00	
2 Doors & Braces	17.50	
Rotary pump on dodge truck	375.00	
100 ft. ¾in. booster hose	52.00	
1 ¾in. fog nozzle	17.50	
		$812.00
Fire Protection Co.		
1 Universal nozzle	40.00	
1 Canvas cover	7.75	
1 Hose dryer	450.00	

1 Master Light	14.00	
		$511.75
Harry Lovell		
500 ft. 2½ in. fire hose	$525.00	
Arch Appliance Co.		
2 Navy Lights		$12.00
Dyer Clark Co.		
1 Reel No. 8 weatherproof wire		$151.64
Eastern Fire Equipment		
3 Axes		$16.08

PRECINCT PROPERTY

Real Estate:	
Land and buildings	$15,000.00
Equipment:	
1 Segrave 600 gal. pumper	5,000.00
1 Segrave 500 gal. pumper	3,500.00
1 Dodge 1½-ton truck	2,000.00
1 60 ft. extension ladder	60.00
1 40 ft. extension ladder	40.00
1 32 ft. extension ladder	20.00
2 28 ft. extension ladders	20.00
2 25 ft. roof ladders	50.00
1 17 ft. taper ladder	17.00
1 25 ft. wall ladder	25.00

1 12 ft. folding ladder	20.00
40 ft. 4½ in. hard suction hose	160.00
10 ft. 4½ in. soft suction hose	25.00
30 ft. 4 in. hard suction hose	120.00
10 ft. 4 in. soft suction hose	25.00
2,200 ft. 2½ in. fire hose	2,300.00
1,000 ft. 1½ in. fire hose	750.00
150 ft. garden hose	25.00
1 Ideal boiler	150.00
1 Century control burner	150.00
2 Unit heaters	200.00
1 Emerson resuscitator	400.00
30 Firemen's coats	300.00
23 Firemen's helmets	207.00
26 pr. rubber boots	247.00
600 ft. fire alarm wire	18.00
200 ft. lead-in wire	16.00
3 Foamite extinguishers	100.00
8 Soda & acid extinguishers	160.00
4 1½ in. fog nozzles	140.00
2 2½ in. fog nozzles	70.00
600 ft. Booster hose	312.00
5 gas masks	125.00
2 First-aid kits	25.00
2 $C.O._2$ Extinguishers	100.00
1 Electric Hose Dryer	500.00
4 2½ in. play pipes & shut-off nozzles	228.00
2 Rockwood nozzles	102.00
1 Rockwood nozzle	17.00
1 Reel #8 fire alarm wire	150.00
Miscellaneous fire equipment	500.00
Fire station furnishings	50.00

Office equipment	50.00
	$33,474.00

HYDRANTS IN PRECINCT

Tilton	31
Northfield	22
Total	53

STREET LIGHTS IN PRECINCT

120	60	watt
3	100	watt
9	250	watt
48	400	watt

FIRE ALARMS IN PRECINCT

House calls	30
Still alarms	10
Bell alarms	17
Total	57

FIRE ALARMS OUT OF PRECINCT

House calls None

Estimated damage to buildings and contents by fire in Precinct $27,000.00.

Damage to buildings and contents by fire out of Precinct in towns of Tilton and Northfield, $4,000.00.

ESTIMATED EXPENSE FOR 1947

Administration	$550.00
Police Protection	2,500.00
Fire Station Maintenance	700.00
Street Lighting	6,000.00
Wearing Apparel	150.00
Fire Truck Repairs	300.00
Insurance and Bond	530.00
Hydrant Rentals	3,300.00
Fire Protection	2,100.00
New Equipment	1,500.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Payment on Notes	1,000.00
Interest on Notes	150.00
Total Estimated Expense	$18,980.00

NOTES PAYABLE

Iona Savings Bank

$1,000 note due Apr. 19, 1947——To be paid in full.

$2,000 note due July 19, 1947 — To be renewed in full.

Citizens National Bank

$2,000 note due July 19, 1947 — To be renewed in full.

HALL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance in Iona Savings Account No. 18696 — $270.00

FIRE DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

For Tilton and Northfield Fire District, Year Ending December, 31, 1946.

RECEIPTS

Taxes, Town of Tilton		$11,562.40
Taxes, Town of Northfield		7,103.86
Town of Tilton, Forest Fire Truck		250.00
Town of Northfield, Forest Fire Truck		250.00
Sale of Lincoln Roadster		100.00
Out of Precinct Fires		31.39
Monsanto Chemical Co., Rebate on Chemicals		25.00
Total Receipts from all sources		$19,322.65
Cash on hand beginning of year		2,076.57
Grand Total		$21,399.22

PAYMENTS

Paid 194 Firewards orders		$18,604.28
Cash on hand end of year	$2,799.94	
Order No. 181 Dec. 15, 1945 Outstanding	5.00	
	$2,794.94	2,794.94
		$21,399.22

BRACKETT H. HILL, *Treasurer.*

February 8th., 1947

Having examined the foregoing account I find same correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES E. SMITH, *Auditor.*

Tilton and Northfield District Nurse Association

RECEIPTS

July 1, 1945 through June 30, 1946:

Automobile Fund		$600.00
Balance July 1, 1945		$475.38
Town of Tilton	$600.00	
Town or Northfield	1,100.00	
Union School District	400.00	
Metropolitan Insurance Co.	275.25	
John Hancock Insurance Co.	4.25	
Petty Cash	225.00	
		2,604.50
		$3,079.88

PAYMENTS

Lurline McCook, R. N.	$1,400.72	
Alice French, R. N.	278.10	
Margurite Tallman, R. N.	10.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue	261.10	
Rent	144.00	
Garage rent	27.00	
Public Service	12.00	
New England Telephone Co.	123.77	
Robert's Service Station	92.59	
Central Garage	40.10	
Elliott Gorage	30.35	
Virgil D. White	14.60	
Robert B. Chalmers, insurance	2.04	
Gale's Insurance Agency	44.60	
Bauer & Black	14.48	
Automobile fund	200.00	
Balance on hand June 30, '46	384.43	
		$3,079.88

RECEIPTS

July 1, 1946 through Dec. 31, 1946.		
Automobile fund		$800.00
Balance July 1, 1946		$ 384.43
Town of Tilton	$1,100	
Town of Northfield	500.00	
Metropolitan Insurance Co.	19.00	
John Hancock Insurance Co.	13.00	
Petty Cash	225.00	
		1,857.00
		$2,241.43

PAYMENTS

July 1, 1946 through Dec. 31, 1946		
Lurline H. McCook, R. N.	$236.60	
Alice M. French, R. N.	517.50	
Collector of Internal Revenue	137.50	
Rent	112.00	
Garage Rent	12.50	
New England Telephone Co.	46.14	
Public Service Co.	6.00	
Gale's Insurance Agency	10.80	
Central Garage	35.56	
Elliott's Garage	8.00	
Robert's Service Station	47.00	
Automobile fund	200.00	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1946	871.83	
		$2,241.43

Fiscal year changed back to calendar year Jan. 1 through Dec. 31

Respectfully submitted,
HARLAND W. PETTENGILL,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HELEN Y. ANDREWS,
HENRY A. ROBERT,
Auditors.

Report of District Nursing Association

This report covers only a six months period, due to a change in the fiscal year which is now from Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st.

Home and office calls were as follows:

Office	473
Home consultations	120
Welfare and social	54
Pre-natal	22
Post-natal	39
New baby	66
Medical	908
Surgical	16
Orthopedic	19
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat	13
Total calls	1730

A toxoid clinic was held at Union Graded School. 8 school children and 34 infants and pre-school children were immunized against diphtheria.

An all day conference was held with Miss Helma LaFrentz of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Three trips were made to Laconia, two to Boscawen and one to Manchester accompanying patients to hospitals and clinics.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE M. FRENCH, R. N.

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

MODERATOR

Fred A. Smart

CLERK

Arthur B. Bacon

SCHOOL BOARD

Dr. Joel E. Nordholm, Chairman	Term expires 1947
Winnifred F. Walker, Clerk	Term expires 1949
Helen T. Randall	Term expires 1947
John W. Crawford	Term expires 1948
Brackett H. Hill	Term expires 1948

TREASURER

Ned C. Rogers

AUDITOR

Fred G. Wilman

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Donald P. Mattoon

Telephone: Residence Tilton 6425

Office Tilton 531

Regular Meetings: School Board, Tilton-Northfield High School

Second Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Belknap ss.

To the Inhabitants of the Tilton and Northfield Union School District, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Assembly Hall of the Union School in said District, on Wednesday, March 12, 1947, at 8:00 p.m. to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

4. a. To choose a member of the School Board to serve for three years, to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of Helen T. Randall, and

b. To choose a member of the School Board to serve for three years, to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of Joel E. Nordholm.

5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

6. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

7. Te determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and other district officers.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alterations in the amount of money required to be assessed for the coming year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to use school funds to purchase, maintain, and operate school conveyances where necessary, to transport pupils to the schools to which they are assigned.

10. To see if the district will authorize the school board to use funds appropriated for the construction of a coal pocket at the high school for the purchase of a station wagon for the transportation of pupils.

11. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to apply for and accept for the district available Federal funds to finance the employment of architectual services and the preparation of plans for any proposed school building changes.

12. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to acquire by purchase, exchange, or eminent domain a small part of the land adjacent to the school grounds, known as part of the former Charles E. Tilton Estate Park.

13. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate to match alloted Federal funds of One Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Dollars ($1,250.00 for the operation of a school lunch program at the Union School or the purchase of equipment.

14. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of bleachers for the high school gymnasium.

15. To see if the district will vote to have the school board let school buildings for public Sunday athletic programs, and to raise funds to pay the added expenses incurred.

16. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Tilton this eighth day of Jaunary 1947.

JOEL E. NORDHOLM,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER,
HELEN T. RANDALL,
JOHN W. CRAWFORD,
BRACKETT H. HILL,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant, Attest:

JOEL E. NORDHOLM,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER,
HELEN T. RANDALL,
JOHN W. CRAWFORD,
BRACKETT H. HILL,
School Board.

TILTON AND NORTHFIELD UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

BUDGET 1947-48

School Board's statement of amount required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1947.

Detailed Statement of Payments

Support of Schools:	High	Elementary	Total
Teachers' salaries	$35,038.00	$20,762.00	$55,800.00
Textbooks	468.00	732.00	1,200.00
Scholars' supplies	1,248.00	1,952.00	3,200.00
Flags and appurtenances	15.00	10.00	25.00
Other expenses of instruction	148.20	231.80	380.00
Janitor service	2,162.55	3,382.45	5,545.00
Fuel	1,054.00	1,646.00	2,700.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	1,464.00	936.00	2,400.00
Minor repairs	487.50	762.50	1,250.00
Medical inspection	380.25	594.75	975.00
Transportation of pupils		8,500.00	8,500.00
Elementary tuition		100.00	100.00
Other special activities	39.00	61.00	100.00
Total			$82,175.00

Other Statutory Requirements:	
Salaries of district officers	$355.00
Superintendent's salary	1,833.00
Truant officer and school census	32.00
Expenses of administration	2,000.00
High school tuition	250.00
Insurance	668.00
Fixed charges, retirement	1,200.00

Per capita tax	1,218.00	
New equipment	400.00	
Payment of district debt	4,000.00	
Payment of interest on debt	1,193.00	
Total		$13,149.00
Amount required to meet school board's budget		$95,324.00
Estimated Income of District		
High school tuition	$1,672.00	
Dog licenses	300.00	
Income trust funds	50.00	
George-Deen, home economics	250.00	
Smith-Hughes, agriculture	750.00	
State aid, elementary	300.00	
Deduct total estimated income not raised by taxation		$3,322.00
Assessment required to balance school board's budget		$92,002.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOEL E. NORDHOLM,
WINNIFRED F. WALKER,
HELEN T. RANDALL,
JOHN W. CRAWFORD,
BRACKETT H. HILL,
School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT
TILTON-NORTHFIELD UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1946

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand July 1, 1945	$5,776.30
Tilton:	
Appropriation 1945-46	44,628.68
Tilton Trust Fund	61.31
Dog tax	285.40
Northfield:	
Appropriation 1945-46	23,237.32
Northfield Trust Fund	12.65
Dog tax	250.82
George-Dean Federal Aid for Vocational education:	
Home Economics	271.05
Agriculture	776.86
State Aid:	
Elementary	122.91
Tuition:	
Emery Thomas	18.00
Canterbury School District	500.00
Sanbornton School District	1,216.52
John McDonald	72.00
Miscellaneous:	
Supervisory Union	192.55
Sale of supplies	300.66

Refund	76.67	
N. H. Superintendent's Association	11.96	
Rent of auditorium	8.75	
Total Receipts		$77,820.41

PAYMENTS

Administration

Salaries of District Officers:		
John W. Crawford	$60.00	
Brackett H. Hill	50.00	
Joel E. Nordholm	50.00	
Helen T. Randall	50.00	
Ned C. Rogers	90.00	
Winnifred F. Walker	50.00	
Fred G. Wilman	5.00	
		$355.00
Superintendent's Salary:		
District's share		$1,112.00
Truant Officer and School Census:		
R. E. Lane	$6.40	
Ethel S. Worthen	25.00	
Total		$31.40
Expenses of Administration:		
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	$9.17	
Fred M. Boynton, Postmaster	60.00	
R. B. Chalers	30.00	
Clerical hire	1,100.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	13.12	
Phyllis Hayward	123.50	

The Mail Order Supply Co.	3.70	
Donald P. Mattoon	39.15	
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	4.93	
W. R. Morrison	4.10	
The National Education Association	4.40	
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	223.41	
Petty Cash	40.00	
Donald C. Taylor	2.10	
The Chas. C. Rogers Co.	88.41	
Total		$1,745.99

Instruction

Teachers' Salaries:		
Abbott, Arthur W. (Tax $148.80, B. C. $21, Retire. $76)	$1,654.20	
Arnold, Ruth, substitute	2.50	
Bosley, Thelma H., substitute	60.00	
Cross, F. Marjorie (Tax $95.20, B. C. $9, Retire. $64, NEA $3)	1,428.80	
Dearborn, Marion E. (Tax $130.20, Retire. $64, NEA $3)	1,385.04	
Fluri, B. Barbara (Tax $184.40, B. C. $9, Retire. $43.50)	1,213.10	
Foss, Mary E. (Tax $214.80, B. C. $9, Retire. $64)	1,312.20	
Fottler, Merle E. (Tax $166.60, B. C. $9)	1,154.40	
Gray, Leah A. (Tax $181.70, B. C. $9)	1,243.18	
Gray, Maude A. (Tax $84.40, B. C. $9, NEA $3)	1,503.60	

Guptill, Grace, substitute	50.00
Hussey, Anna M. (Tax $211.70, B. C. $9, Retire. $64)	1,297.54
Levesque, Hortense A. M. (Tax $196.40)	1,336.38
Luneau, Irene (Tax $67.40, B. C. $4.50, Retire. $25.50)	569.25
Marrotte, Priscilla E. (Tax $73.60, B. C. $9)	757.40
Martin, Helen E. (Tax $210.40, B. C. $9, Retire. $68, NEA $3)	1,409.30
Meserve, Lulu J. (Tax $178.40, B. C. $9, Retire. $74, NEA $3)	1,585.60
Metcalf, Dorothy, substitute	10.00
Pelletier, Beatrice B., substitute (Tax $23)	127.00
Piper, Donald F. (Tax $156.40, B. C. $21)	2,739.40
Smart, Nan, substitute	30.00
Smith, Frances H., substitute (Tax $50.60)	759.40
Stevens, Mildres, substitute	80.00
Surowiec, Isabelle (Tax $204.90, B. C. $9)	1,306.10
Taylor, Donald C. (Tax $20.40, B. C. $21, Retire. $84, NEA $3)	2,081.60
Tibbetts, Amy E. (Tax $120.40, B. C. $18)	1,323.60
Vogel, Jane R. (Tax $156.80, B. C. $9)	1,244.20
Whicher, Ilene S. (Tax $25.30, B. C. $18)	496.70

Wilman, Fred C.	15.00	
Wittig, Hildegard (Tax $181.70, B. C. $9)	1,243.20	
Collector of Internal Revenue	3,548.40	
Teachers' Retirement	726.27	
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Association	298.00	
National Education Association	24.00	
Total		$38,172.73

Textbooks:

Allyn & Bacon	$11.36
American Book Co.	83.36
F. J. Barnard Co.	259.10
Chandlers	27.90
D. Appleton Century Co.	35.03
Denoyer-Geppert Co.	20.20
Expression Co.	8.03
Ginn & Company	19.47
Gledhill Bros.	4.02
The Gregg Publishing Co.	3.10
The Grolier Society Inc.	35.55
J. L. Hammett Co.	5.97
Hastings House	6.22
Harcourt-Brace Co.	6.67
D. C. Heath Co.	19.17
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	138.40
International Textbooks Co.	4.96
Laidlaw Bros.	3.45
Macmillan Co.	11.96
McCormick Mathers Co.	104.55
Chas. E. Merrill Co.	6.34
Morgan Dillon Co.	2.68

Noble & Noble	79.70	
Row, Peterson & Co.	112.04	
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	4.08	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	35.52	
Shady Hill Press	3.10	
Sugar Ball Press	8.62	
O. H. Toothaker	23.49	
Webster Publishing Co.	5.29	
Wilcox-Follett Co.	21.76	
Willeys Express	2.19	
Winston, John C. Co.	27.08	
Total		$1,140.38

Scholars' Supplies:

Arthur W. Abbott	$8.88
Achbers Store	11.87
Acorn Publishing Co.	1.66
American Education Press	113.80
American Farm Youth	1.00
The Arlo Publishing Co.	4.33
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	651.66
Ralph Bass, Inc.	206.47
Bill Dunn's Sport Shop	15.00
C. C. Birchard Co.	11.43
Albert Boudreau	8.25
The Boulia-Gorrell Lumber Co.	61.94
Milton Bradley Co.	6.00
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	27.50
Brodhead-Garrett Co.	112.34
Boston University	30.40
Bryant & Lawrence	190.76
Central Scientific Co.	73.41

Civic Education Service	42.00
Chandler & Farguhar	53.06
Congleton Typewriter Co.	5.00
Walter Daniels	252.50
Glenn Edwards Lumber Co.	87.00
Ginn & Company	65.26
Gledhill Bros.	7.00
Raymond Glines	60.40
The Grade Teacher	5.00
The Gregg Publishing Co.	6.08
Hall & McCreary Co.	4.32
J. L. Hammett Co.	44.89
Holt & Bugbee	247.35
Houghton Mifflin Co.	87.99
International Council of Young Men's Christian Association	1.50
E. J. Keegan Co.	1.89
Kidder Lumber Co.	134.26
Myron L. Meserve	200.08
W. R. Morrison	33.55
National Agricultural Supply Co.	4.46
O. P. Onderdonk	2.61
F. A. Owen Co.	5.00
Paine Publishing Co.	1.30
Phillips Paper Co.	142.96
Public Affairs Committee	5.00
Richardson Laundries	23.90
R. H. Rice Co.	5.89
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	2.31
Sanborn News Agency	32.11
Sanel Auto Parts	15.40
Chas. Scribners Sons	2.80

Donald C. Taylor	3.50	
Ralph H. Smith Co.	85.24	
State Board of Education	2.80	
C. P. Stevens Co.	93.88	
Louise Swett	3.13	
Webster Publishing Co.	10.05	
Willeys Express	1.90	
World Book Co.	118.53	
Fred G. Wilman	24.50	
War Assets Administration	18.75	
Total		$3,481.85
Other Expenses of Instruction:		
Ruth O. Bozarth	$11.78	
Castle Film	5.40	
Dover Publications	16.47	
J. L. Hammett Co.	59.01	
Henry Ketchum	29.55	
Laconia School District	31.58	
Rev. Clinton Morrill	15.00	
W. R. Morrison	48.55	
The National Education Association	4.58	
H. W. Pettingill	2.00	
University Extension Division	98.52	
H. M. Welch Mfg. Co.	31.97	
William Yale	20.00	
Total		$374.51

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

Janitor Service:		
Norman Adams	$62.75	

Theodore Adams (Tax $44.20, B. C. $21)	1,946.80	
Elmer Simmons (Tax $128.10)	1,053.93	
C. A. Worthen (Tax $84.80, B. C. $18)	1,481.20	
Collector of Internal Revenue	257.10	
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	39.00	
Total		$4,840.78
Fuel:		
Howard Collen	$4.00	
Joseph Murphy	4.00	
A. A. Thompson Coal Co.	72.94	
Total		$80.94
Water, Light and Janitor Supplies:		
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	$258.45	
Central Garage & Supply Co.	3.08	
Dickerman & Co.	140.50	
H. J. Dowd & Co.	24.00	
J. L. Holcomb Co.	3.00	
Masury-Young Co.	42.32	
Mystic Waste Co.	90.93	
Peoples Market	2.64	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	723.57	
Reliable Paper & Supply Co.	13.99	
A. H. Rice & Co.	10.41	
Shepherd Furniture Co.	2.00	
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co.	394.24	
Total		$1,709.13

Minor Repairs and Expenses:		
Arthur W. Abbott	$9.17	
American Optical Co.	22.25	
Bryant & Lawrence	56.29	
Congleton Typewriter Co.	155.00	
George G. Fowler	7.25	
Francoeur-Keroack Co.	718.00	
Granite State Motors	144.50	
Greenlands Service, Inc.	28.15	
George Greenwood & Son	15.13	
J. O. Harbour	53.00	
Brackett Hill	15.00	
Kidder Lumber Co.	17.74	
Laconia Electric Shop	1.26	
Jack Landry	355.00	
Leland Electric Co.	2.77	
C. J. Nourie	8.85	
Orr & Rolfe	189.60	
Page Belting Co.	14.08	
Philip H. Spaulding	15.00	
C. R. Swanney Co.	7.60	
Total		$1,835.64

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

Medical Inspection:		
Dr. Lyman C. Burgess	$150.00	
Herrick Drug Co.	1.92	
McCormick Mathers Co.	2.39	
Dr. Joel E. Nordholm	30.00	
Tilton Pharmacy	1.38	

Tilton-Northfield District Nursing Association	400.00	
Total		$585.69
Transportation of Pupils:		
Charles Gilman	$748.00	
Edmund Harbour	1,353.00	
Frank Plizga	324.00	
Archie Wheaton	2,822.40	
Horace Wheaton	1,917.60	
Total		$7,165.00
Elementary School Tuition:		
Franklin School District		$85.00
High School Tuition:		
Franklin School District		270.00
Other Special Activities:		
Frank W. Abbott	$12.75	
Central Garage & Supply Co.	293.44	
Leo Guptill	5.00	
Granite State Motors	56.21	
Guy Huckine	11.80	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	4.62	
Mrs. George Nudd	14.40	
Total		$398.22

Fixed Charges

Per Capita Tax:	
State Treasurer	$1,208.00

Insurance:		
R. B. Chalmers	$266.58	
Gales Insurance Agency	212.40	
Total		$478.98
Lands and New Buildings:		
Roy B. Lavigne	$951.10	
Central Garage & Supply Co.	62.80	
Total		$1,013.90

Outlay for Construction and Equipment

New Equipment:		
E. E. Babb & Co., Inc.	$52.39	
Beckley-Cardy Co.	24.80	
Laconia Music Shop	27.45	
William L. Nutting Co.	24.68	
A. J. Nystrom & Co.	68.86	
A. H. Rice & Co.	437.67	
Richard Tropical Encyclopedia	69.50	
Harriet B. Schricker	10.90	
Total		$716.25

Debt Service

Principal of Debt:		
The First National Bank of Boston		$4,000.00
Interest on Debt:		
Citizens National Bank	$60.00	

The First National Bank of Boston	1,327.50	
Total		$1,387.50
Total Payments		$72,188.87
Cash on hand June 30, 1946		5,631.54
Grand Total		$77,820.41

JOEL E. NORDHOLM,
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School Board.

NED C. ROGERS,
School District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined the accounts of the School Board and Treasurer for the year ending June 30, 1946, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED G. WILMAN,
Auditor.

July 10, 1946

Balance on hand June 30, 1946, $5,631.54, ear-marked in part as follows:

		Spent
Coal Pocket	$1,500.00	0
Visual equipment	1,000.00	$536.87
War-time equipment and typewriters	1,000.00	689.92
Parking area — High School	1,000.00	951.10
Urinals — Union School	725.00	733.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board, Parents, and Voters of the Tilton and Northfield Union School District:

The schools are still in the throes of adjusting themselves to trying conditions. Costs of scholars' supplies are rising, teachers are being enticed to higher paying positions elsewhere, enrollments are increasing, and school needs in this "international age" are great. The conditions under which the schools have been maintained since the last annual report are recorded herein.

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

Maintenance, Operation, Repair

Union School

The Union School in Northfield was built on honor. It is in an excellent state of repair and serves the needs of the pupils very well for a building of its age. If it were lost by fire, the replacement cost at this time would be very high.

The insurance coverage on the Union School would cover no more than one-third of its present replacement cost now. An investigation has been made into the matter of purchasing more insurance for this building and it has been found that, by insuring the structure to the limit of its sound value, several thousand dollars more protection can be obtained for a small yearly additional charge over current costs.

A representative of the Fire Underwriters group was invited and inspected the Union School in November to

ascertain the safety of the large number of pupils enrolled there. He suggested an additional exit to Vine Street which is to be installed in the summer of 1947, testing of the fire escape through sandbag loads, and providing better means of egress through windows to the fire escapes. He reported that the building is very well maintained.

A tenth classroom at the Union School was opened on January second, to relieve the heavy overload of pupils in classrooms in the four second-floor rooms. A portion of the assembly hall on the thrid floor was separated from the main room by movable partitions and blackboards. Unused seats and desks stored in the attic were attached to skids so they could be moved easily about the newly established classroom to allow for use of the whole assembly hall by an audience on occasion.

Red Barn

The "red barn" which was moved to the rear of the high school building is being remodeled for increased shop space by the older boys. Considerable progress on this project was made during the warm fall weather and it is hoped that the work can be completed this spring.

Bleachers

The attendance at basketball games in the high school shows a great interest of adults in athletics, but to accommodate them along the side lines of the basketball court is a problem. Those in the rear seats must either raise themselves on the seats or stand above the heads of those in front in order to see the game. Bleachers would probably eliminate this struggle to witness the contests among the players.

Attendants at games like to relax between periods by smoking. That little smoke could interfere with the breathing

of the players on the court, places for adults to smoke have been provided near the main entrance.

Athletic Field

The development of an athletic field at the high school will probably become a project of importance in the near future. To have sufficient parking space and adequate approaches, it would be desirable to own a triangular piece of land in the northwest corner of the Park. The District owns land along the lane leading from West Main Street to Winter Street which could be exchanged for the plot near the proposed athletic field, and which has real value as house lots.

Coal

A coal supply has been kept up at both buildings during the last few years to insure adequate fuel during extended emergency periods. The coal purchased this year was delivered into the school bins by the Tilton Coal and Supply Company at cost.

Typewriters

As soon as new typewriters came on the market, eight new ones were procured for the commercial department in an exchange for eight much used machines.

TEACHERS AND SUPERVISORS

High School

Several changes on the staff at the high school were made during the summer months of 1946. Mr. Wilfred C. Wolffer of Milford, veteran of World War II, graduate of Keene Teachers' College, was employed to take charge of the shop program replacing Mr. Arthur W. Abbott.

Miss B. Barbara Fluri contemplated marriage so Mr. Earl Q. Sanborn of Ashland, graduate of Plymouth Teachers' College, was secured to teach Commerce subjects and supervise the high school office.

Miss Sally A. Kott of Manchester, former teacher in the Belmont High School, transferred to the Home Economics department here to take the place of Miss Merle Fottler, who became Mrs. Kincaid.

Miss Hortense A. M. Levesque of Nashua contemplated marriage. Her position was accepted by Miss Virginia E. Rochelle of Nashua, Rivier College Graduate, with high honors in languages.

Miss Jessie L. Dutrizac of Laconia, former Home Economics teacher in Belmont and Windsor, Vermont, accepted a contract to head the Department here when Miss Harriet B. Schricker decided to be employed in Nashua.

Mrs. Amy Seaver Tibbetts assumed her place in the family household at the close of the school year. To teach Aeronautics and Chemistry, a veteran meteorologist from the Army, Mr. Donald B. Chesley of Farmington, came to the high school staff.

Miss Jane R. Vogel, decided to secure a music supervisor's certificate and took the year for study. Mr. Arthur G. Lucier, veteran, with several years' employment in local industry, was employed to teach Social Studies.

Mr. Homer P. Ransom's services on a part-time basis are available to us for instruction in Mathematics so Mr. Donald C. Taylor could be freed for the Veterans' Agricultural Program.

Union School

At the Union School, a great majority of the very efficient teachers were reemployed. The two changes which occurred

were in conformity to an employment policy.

Mrs. Helen H. Rego accepted appointment in Belmont. Miss Evelyn A. Page of Gilmanton, discharged from the Waves in August, with pre-war teaching experience in New Durham, was obtained for Mrs. Rego's position.

Mrs. Frances B. Smith, who replaced Miss Irene B. Luneau near the middle of the last school year, is employed in Franklin. That position was filled by the transfer from the Gilford Grade School of Miss Natalie Smith of Haverhill.

On January second, Miss Beatrice A. Pelletier, former teacher here for several years, become the tenth full-time member of the staff of the Union School and took charge of the recently-established classroom in the assembly hall.

Change in Headmasters

In the late fall, the State Board of Education wished to have Mr. Donald F. Piper, influential headmaster here for the last three years, become the Director of Youth Services for the State Department. He was released with real regret to assume his new duties on December 16th.

The transition from one school head to another was effected very quietly and smoothly by having Mr. Russell S. Hanson take over the headmaster's responsibilities here on December 4th. Mr. Hanson shows a great interest in the sports, activities, and education of young people. He has taught in three schools and has been headmaster in Bristol and Troy. He had a chance to work and be with Mr. Piper for nearly two weeks in December so the policies and practices in effect had no abrupt modification through unacquaintance.

The School Board, citizens, teachers, and pupils wished Mr. and Mrs. Piper well in this new undertaking at a public program on December 11, and at the same time welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Hanson.

PUPILS

Enrollment, Advancement, Attendance, Transportation, Health

Union School, Sept.

Room	A	31	Hildegard M. Wittig
	B	26	Isabelle A. Suroweic
	C	33	Natalie Smith
	D	31	Anna M. Hussey
	E	32	Maude A. Gray (drawing)
	F	37	Mary E. Foss
	G	41	Evelyn A. Page
	H	39	Marion E. Dearborn
	I	36	Lulu J. Meserve (Principal)
			Ilene S. Whicher (asst. teacher)
		306	

High School:

VII	45	Headmaster Russell S. Hanson
VIII	57	F. Marjorie Cross
IX	65	Jessie L. Dutrizac
X	34	Leah A. Gray
XI	32	Sally A. Kott
XII	31	Arthur G. Lucier
		Priscilla E. Marrotte, Music
	264	Helen E. Martin
		Evelyn A. Page
		Homer P. Ransom
		Virginia E. Rochelle
		Chris W. Sakelarios
		Earl Q. Sanborn
		Donald C. Taylor
		Wilfred C. Wolffer

Transporter	*Routes*	*Vehicle*	*Trips*
Edmund Harbour	Lochmere		
	Bean Hill	Ford Bus	2
Frank Plizga, Franklin	Northfield	Ford Bus	1
T-N Union School Dist.	Cross Road		2
Archie G. Wheaton	Winnisquam	International	

	Shaker Road	Bus	2
Horace Wheaton	Oak Hill		
	Calef Hill	International Bus	2

Possible District-Owned Bus

Mr. Charles Gilman has furnished a large car to transport pupils from Zions' Hill and Cross Road for several years. He sold his conveyance and a search was made to obtain someone to render this service. No one possessed a vehicle which could be approved by the Motor Vehicle Department.

Faced with the lack of suitable means of carrying children to school, four school board members signed a personal note with the Citizens National Bank to back the purchase by the District of a new Ford station wagon. This was put in operation upon its delivery here and is being driven by Mr. Elmer Simmons, one of the janitors at the high school and housed in a garage on Vine Street. The District is paying for the driver and for garage, gasoline and oil. The voters attending the School District Meeting in March will be asked to authorize the school board to purchase, maintain, and operate school conveyances where necessary, to transport pupils to the schools to which they are assigned. When this course has been approved, funds already appropriated and unused for the construction of a coal pocket at the high school can be transferred to pay the major part of the cost of the bus.

Area Vocational School in Laconia

The 1945 Legislature established two State Trade Schools and several area vocational schools. To Tilton, the nearest Area Vocational School is the one now being operated in conjunction with the day sessions of the Laconia High School.

The subjects offered to pupils in high school are:

Agriculture (IX - XII)
Home Economics (XX - XII)
Commerce (XI - XII)
  Secretarial work
  Clerical wark
  Accounting or Bookkeeping work
  General Office Machine Operation
Distributive Education (XI - XII)
  Actual store training in selling for 15 hours per week
Machine Shop (XI - XII)
  Power driven metal working machinery

Any district from which a boy or girl attends an area vocational school has a reimbursement from State funds for tuition paid.

Veterans' Program in Agriculture

Last summer the Veterans Administration initiated a plan for training veterans on farms. The Tilton-Northfield High School was the first one in New Hampshire in which this plan was started.

The veterans are taught by regularly employed teachers of Agriculture. Since a majority of the veterans desiring this instruction lived near Laconia, a room in the Laconia High School was hired from the Laconia School Department. Here, the veterans come in two different groups for four hours of instruction on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Mr. Donald C. Taylor was released after morning classes at Tilton to spend the afternoons on the farms where the veterans are being trained in practical farm operations.

The contract made by the Tilton-Northfield School Board with the Veterans Administration calls for at least 8 hours

of classroom instruction per month per veteran and not less than 200 hours per year of this off-farm instruction. Each veteran is to receive at least 50 hours per year of individual on-farm instruction per year with not less than one farm visit per month. In addition, his employer must teach him the farm operations.

Mr. Taylor has two groups of ten men each in the Tuesday and Thursday night instruction periods, all studying the different aspects of Agriculture in which they have most interest.

The teacher is reimbursed for travel costs, is paid his regular school salary and a sum for teaching each group evenings, and receives reimbursement for expenses incurred in the program.

The Veterans Administration pays the Tilton-Northfield Union School District according to the attendance of the veterans and in case to exceed $200 per veteran for the year's instruction in Vocational Agriculture. This should cover all anticipated expenses for which the District is liable under the V. A. Contract, space for classroom, shop facilities for the repair of farm machinery, light, heat, power, scholars' supplies, farm shop supplies, reference books, teaching films, and transportation of veterans to a shop or on instruction trips.

School Lunches

The School Board has made contracts through the State Board of Education in the National School Lunch Program so the Production and Marketing Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture furnishes funds for the subsidizing of lunches for pupils.

An award of several hundred dollars has been received from Federal funds for the purchase of equipment to be

used in a lunch program at the Union School. When a kitchen, cooking facilities, and personnel can be obtained, it should be possible for small children to purchase a complete meal at noon in the Union School, but no date has been set for starting to furnish meals.

At the high school, lunches have been served in the past. Due to lack of utensils, cutlery, and dishes, it was decided not to open the cafeteria for serving meals until all essential equipment could be purchased. It is anticipated that the high school pupils can buy their noon meals for a quarter after the receipt of necessary serving articles.

Awards to Graduates

In May 1946, the University of New Hampshire announced awards of scholarships. About one-tenth of the total number of awards were given to Tilton-Northfield High School graduates.

George Engelhardt Scholarship

To a high-ranking man: Kenneth Cotton

New Hampshire Branch of National Civic Federation scholarship

To the woman majoring in the economics department who is judged most worthy on the basis of scholarship, character, and leadership: Ernestine E. Cannon

Mortar Board Scholarship Award

To the woman student in the freshman class who attained the highest academic average: Jacquelyn A. Crawford

High School Costs

Each year the State Board of Education publishes the "Costs of Instruction" for the high schools of the State. In the latest list, there were over 80 high schools recorded. The lowest, per pupil cost on the list is indicated as No. 1. Tilton-Northfield's place was 15th from the lowest, ($107.60 per

pupil) while the State average was $123.79. Tilton-Northfield's cost was about $16 less per pupil than the average for all New Hampshire high schools listed.

Tuition Rate

On the basis of the State reported figures on "costs of instruction," the School Board has set $100 as the tuition charge for the 1946-47 school year.

Pupils from the Lechmere section of Belmont, Canterbury, and Sanbornton attend the Union School and the Tilton-Northfield High School. Most of these are transported free of charge on Tilton-Northfield school buses.

Closing Exercises

In 1946, Baccalaureate Sunday Exercises were held in the Tilton-Northfield High School gymnasium, Sunday evening, June ninth. The Rev. Clinton L. Morrill, Rector St. Thomas' Church, Dover, N. H., Marine Chaplain with South Pacific experience in World War II, gave the address. Mr. Webb Tilton sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Class Day was held on Wednesday afternoon, June twelfth. Headmaster Donald F. Piper gave awards as follows:

American Legion Freshman Citizenship Awards	
	Grace Gilbert
	Robert Shea
Tilton Holy Name Society Awards	
Home Economics	Rita Boudreau
Shop	William Storey
Channing T. Sanborn Music Award	Allison Sanborn
Liberty Chapter, D.A.R. Citizenship Certificate	
	Phyllis Hayward
Liberty Chapter, D.A.R. History Award	Elaine Nordholm
Grevior Good Sportsmanship Awards	Phyllis Barnes
	William Durand

Becker Commercial Award	Josephine Wyatt
Gibson Educational Fund Scholarships	Phyllis Hayward
	Lorraine Rosholt
	Josephine Wyatt
	Margaret Nichols
Class of 1946 Award for Character	Bernard Chapman
Bausch and Lomb Science Award	Allison Sanborn
Tilton-Northfield Woman's Club Achievement Award	Elaine Nordholm
Junior High Manual Training	Joseph Reed
Dion Chemistry Award	Allison Sanborn
American Legion Auxiliary Junior High Citizenship Awards	Elaine Achber
	Earl Thomas
Headmaster's Trophy	Phyllis Hayward

Rita Boudreau read the Class History; Josephine Wyatt prepared the Class Will; Phyllis Barnes and Betty Hunt gave the Class Prophecy; Dorothy Roach and Joan Whittier distributed Class Gifts; the Yearbook was dedicated by William Storey; Anne Crawford wrote the Class Poem; the Address to Undergraduates was given by William Storey; the Sextet, the Men's Chorus, and the Treble Clef Club rendered musical selections.

The Graduation program was held on Friday evening, June 14th. Professor William Yale of the University of New Hampshire gave the address. Dr. Joel E. Nordholm, Chairman of the School Board, presented diplomas to the following graduates:

Norman Paul Adams	Virginia Olive Green
Theresa Mary Angers	*Phyllis Louise Hayward
Phyllis Irene Barnes	*Betty Carolyn Hunt
James Thomas Battye	*Betty Mae Lees

*Rita Jean d'Arc Boudreau
Curtis William Burleigh
Bernard Winfield Chapman
Eva Alice Colby
Iva Gertrude Colby
*Anne d'Auray Crawford
Howard Eugene Cullen, Jr.
*Elizabeth Bolkell Currier
Irene Mary Deragon
*Mildred Ellen Dunlop
William Theodore Durand
*Mary Ellen Fife
Joseph Edward Murphy
*Beatrice Eleaine Nordholm
*Lois Ruth Patterson
Irene Louise Plummer
Dorothy Roach
Antoinette Rita Robert
*Lorraine Margaret Rosholt
Allison Quimby Sanborn
*Esther Anne Sheldon
Harriet Dinsmore Stone
Clayton William Storey
Joan Whittier
*Josephine Drakw Wyatt

* Scholastic Honor

Veterans

A few veterans have enrolled in the high school this year. Some others have taken the General Educational Development Tests (G.E.D.) and have been granted High School Equivalency Certificates by the State Board of Education.

School Board Association

The School Board has secured membership in the New Hampshire School Boards Association and, by so doing, all members are entitled to attend the meetings of the State organization.

The Supervisory Union representative is the Chairman of the Gilford School Board.

Additions to School Plants

Two needs are emerging to make evident possible expansion of present school facilities: (1) Greater enrollments in the Union School point to the necessity of adding or making two new classrooms; (2) Larger numbers of girls taking Home Economics in the High School interfere with noon lunch preparation and crowd the cafeteria space, indicating

the possible addition on the rear of the building to house a cafeteria and school lunch kitchen.

Advancement

The theme which is guiding the teachers in their work with pupils this year is: "Our Thinking in the Future Must be Worldwide." In advancing this theme, a teachers' meeting was held at the opening of the fall term. At this the State Director of Elementary School Services, Miss Gertrude M. Lewis, spoke on "Geography for All Learners." The school nurse, Mrs. McCook, used a colored film, "Teacher Observations of School Children."

CONCLUSION

In submitting this seventh annual report, it is a pleasure to express my appreciation again to the members of the school board, the teachers, the nurse, the janitors, the bus drivers, and the citizens for their efforts and interest in supporting good schools.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD P. MATTOON.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Male, Female	No. of Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents
Jan. 3	Mary Jane	F	1	W	Philip Richardson	Natalie E. Shaw	W
Jan. 5	Gloria Jean	F	1	W	Charles H. Wells	Marjorie F. Lewis	W
Jan. 9	Alice Mae	F	8	W	Harry B. Martin	Loretta M. Sardiff	W
Jan. 9	Michael Alan	M	3	W	Raymond A. Hill	Eleanor C. Stevens	W
Jan. 10	Sarah Jane	F	2	W	Lyman C. Burgess	Eleanor S. Percola	W
Jan. 13	Linda Lee	F	1	W	John R. Barnes	Hope E. Chisholm	W
Mar. 1	Judy Anne	F	5	W	Elwood H. Green	Beatrice M. Tracy	W
Mar. 3	Karen Jean	F	1	W	Gerard J. Beauchesne	Jean M. MacManus	W
Mar. 20	Jay Lucille	F	2	W	Francis P. Gloddy	Mary J. Lochopelle	W
Apr. 17	James Albert	M	6	W	Claude B. Patten	Barbara E. Dow	W
Apr. 17	John Howard	M	1	W	Clifton R. Farnum	Blanche O'Neil	W
June 6	Glenice Foe	F	1	W	Richard C. Randolph	Dorothy R. Measter	W
July 6	Daniel John	M	1	W	John O. Salls	Eleanor E. Read	W
July 28	Charles Edward	M	1	W	Robert P. Joscelyn	Verley A. Connolly	W
Sept. 5	Judy Lee	F	7	W	Roy H. Paul	Myra E. Ford	W
Sept. 15	Barry John	M	2	W	Reginald J. Fleury	Rebecca A. Smith	W
Sept. 20	Robert Howard, Jr.	M	2	W	Robert Howard Read	Olga M. Mathaisell	W
Oct. 1	Charles Peter	M	3	W	Carroll P. Foster	Marie L. Archibald	W
Oct. 26	Sheila Marie	F	1	W	William J. Cunningham	Dolores Landers	W
Oct. 30	Carl Edwin	M	1	W	Richard R. Caneney	Lois A. Howe	W
Oct. 31	David Bernard	M	2	W	Jack E. Chamberlain	Isabelle R. Simmons	W
Nov. 6	Gene Clifton	M	2	W	Wilfred J. Sabourin	Evelyn M. Brown	W
Nov. 9	Dennis Richard	M	1	W	Richard Johnson	Dorothy A. Matott	W
Nov. 14	Michael Henry	M	1	W	Henry G. Deragon	Katherine R. Simpson	W
Nov. 16	John Edward	M	1	W	Louis E. Traners	Margaret E. Looney	W
Nov. 30	Vivian Kay	F	2	W	Ralph E. Aldrich	Alice A. MacKay	W
Dec. 3	Margaret Ellen	F	4	W	Forrest C. Boynton	Eileen F. Cunningham	W
Dec. 9	Carol Lee	F	2	W	Kenneth Lockwood	Fae W. Chase	W
Dec. 13	Albin King	M	2	W	Leo A. Guptill	Grace L. Thomas	W

MARRIAGES

Place and Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Age	Occupation	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Tilton	Edward C. Chaples	Northfield	48	Woolen mill	Rev. Edward Ernst
Jan. 3	Margaret A. Bacon	Tilton	33	Presser	Minister Tilton
Tilton	Russell C. Cilley	Ashland	23	Auto mechanic	Rev. Warren W. Peters
Feb. 2	Sylvia E. Harbour	Northfield	19	At home	Minister Tilton
Tilton	Eldon E. Hilliard	Northfield	27	Painter	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Feb. 11	Anita M. Morrill	Tilton	20	Secretary	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton	Richard W. Johnson	Northfield	21	In school	Percy E. Johson Deacon
Mar. 1	Dorothy A. Matott	Northfield	18	At home	Episcopal Church Tilton
Lebanon	George E. Mudgett	Northfield	17	Lumberman	Rev. Geo. R. Wolverton
Mar. 2	Marion L. Hill	Woodsville	19	Housework	Minister Lebanon
Tilton	James H. Simpson	Northfield	38	R.R. express	Rev. C. P. Buckley
Mar. 2	Velma E. Lucier	Tilton	34	Teacher	Catholic Priest Tilton
Bristol	Francis E. Richardson	Northfield	22	Laundry	William H. Marston Jus-
Mar. 25	Jean E. Manchester	Manchester	21	Telephone opr.	tice of the Peace Bristol
Meredith	Henry G. MacMichael	Laconia	37	Policeman	Rev. Roland W. Nye
Apr. 30	Pauline B. Sykes	Northfield	39	At home	Minister Meredith
Laconia	Lawrence M. Flanders	Northfield	40	Town highway	Rev. John W. Sliney
May 4	Adelaide S. Hart	Laconia	32	Inspector	R. C. Priest Laconia
Belmont	Earl N. Gloddy	Northfield	26	———	Guy L. Hamel Justice
May 4	Lucille M. Higgins	Franklin	26	Presser	of the Peace Belmont
Franklin	Calvin C. Burpee	Franklin	21	———	Geo. T. Ordway Justice
May 11	Theresa M. Nadeau	Northfield	18	At home	of the Peace Franklin
Tilton	Hector G. Sevigny	Laconia	24	Boss carder	Rev. C. P. Buckley
May 11	Althea A. Root	Northfield	22	Stenographer	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton	Forrest A. Granison	Northfield	24	Loom fixer	Rev. C. P. Buckley
May 18	Esther May Stanton	Northfield	19	Spinner	Catholic Priest Tilton
Laconia	Lester B. Davis	Northfield	33	Foreman	Rev. Frank P. Fletcher
June 14	Catherine M. Bickford	Northfield	18	Clock factory	Clergyman Laconia
Laconia	Lester P. Andrus	Northfield	24	Cotton mill	Rev. Robert H. Holmes
June 19	Mildred F. Thomas	Laconia	22	At home	Clergyman Laconia

MARRIAGES CONTINUED

Northfield		John D. Johnson	Athol, Mass.	23	Paratrooper	Winnifred F. Walker
	June 22	Jeanette M. Cote	Northfield	17	At home	J. of the Peace Northfield
Northfield		Russell F. Boutillette	Melrose, Mass.	21	Laborer	Percy E. Johnson Priest
	July 6	Joan MacCallum	Boston, Mass.	19	Librarian	Episcopal Ch. Northfield
Concord		Richard R. Chase	Northfield	22	Laborer	Abraham Kauffman Jus-
	July 20	Dorothy R. Randolph	Northfield	20	At home	tice of the Peace Concord
Tilton		Kenneth L. Harbour	Northfield	28	Truck driver	Rev. L. E. Alexander
	July 22	Mary A. Keith	Northfield	20	At home	Clergyman Franklin
Tilton		Roy E. Harbour	Northfield	22	Student	Rev. Edwin S. Tasker
	Aug. 3	Arlene F. Leonard	Tilton	18	Office worker	Clergyman Tilton
Boscawen		Robert A. Frechette	Tilton	21	Chem. emp.	Frank L. Reardon Jus-
	Aug. 12	Anita J. Sykes	Northfield	17	At home	tice of the Pea. Boscawen
Tilton		Millard C. MacDonald	Franklin	30	Machinist	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
	Aug. 23	Eunice E. Riley	Northfield	23	Housekeeper	Minister Tilton
Concord		Richard E. MacManus	Northfield	20	Student	Rev. John F. Burke
	Sept. 9	Joanne Burney	Concord	18	Secretary	Catholic Priest Concord
Tilton		Paul J. Barton	Tilton	26	Laborer	Rev. C. P. Buckley
	Oct. 4	Elizabeth A. Larivee	Northfield	22	At home	Catholic Priest Tilton
Franklin		Robert E. Joyce	Northfield	24	Laborer	Rev. L. E. Alexander
	Oct. 13	Marian Woodward	Franklin	21	Hosiery work	Clergyman Franklin
Franklin		Charles J. Merrill, Jr.	Franklin	21	Lineman	Rev. Noble O. Bowlby
	Oct. 18	Alice R. Beach	Northfield	18	Stitcher	Clergyman Franklin
Tilton		George M. Davidson	Northfield	26	Caretaker	Rev. C. P. Buckley
	Oct. 19	Madaline A. Murphy	Northfield	20	Textile	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton		Adolph J. Buczynski	Northfield	22	Farmer	Rev. C. P. Buckley
	Oct. 26	Mary E. Simpson	Northfield	25	Stitcher	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton		Romulus J. Snow	Laconia	38	Plumber	Rev. C. P. Buckley
	Nov. 7	Stella F. Daigneault	Northfield	34	Mill worker	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton		Edward R. Miller	Northfield	21	Mechanic	Rev. Edward G. Ernst
	Nov. 23	Iris A. Crouse	Northfield	19	Packer	Minister Tilton
Whitefield		Franklin F. Brown	Tilton	32	Timekeeper	Rev. Nelson E. Canfield
	Nov. 24	Roberta A. Pickering	Northfield	22	At home	Minister Whitefield
Tilton		Francis H. Griffin	Northfield	29	Mill operative	Rev. C. P. Buckley
	Nov. 28	Patricia G. Montembeault	Tilton	18	Mill operative	Catholic Priest Tilton
Tilton		Paul Paddleford	Northfield	26	Optical worker	Rev. Fay L. Gemmell
	Nov. 29	Eunice E. Plant	Northfield	23	Waitress	Minister Tilton
Northfield		Ralph E. Spicer	Northfield	20	Weaver	Winnifred F. Walker Jus-
	Dec. 12	Pauline F. Nevers	Belmont	19	Drop wire girl	tice of the Pea. Northfield
Northfield		Frederick L. Piscyek	Northfield	29	Trapper	Vincent P. Leary Jus-
	Dec. 28	Lois R. Strickland	Northfield	24	Textile worker	tice of the Pea. Northfield

DEATHS

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age: Years	Age: Months	Age: Days	Place of Birth	Sex and Condition: Male	Sex and Condition: Female	Sex and Condition: Color	Sex and Condition: Sin., Mar., Wid.	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 26	Franklin	Frank C. Robertson	85	10	25	Northfield	M		W	W	Farmer	Charles Robertson	Elizabeth Carter
Mar. 28	Northfield	Ruell E. Heyward	64	10	2	Central Falls, R. I.	M		W	M	Mfg. woolen	Frederick Heyward	—— Green
Apr. 19	Laconia	Ida Seren	63	3	18	Levis, Canada		F	W	W	Retired	Peter Bernard	Emma Guay
Apr. 28	Franklin	John Hill				Franklin	M		W			Warren B. Hill	Dolores Martel
May 6	Franklin	Ina G. Simpson	74	4	0	Canaan		F	W	M	Housewife	Albert Bushman	Jane Adams
May 23	Northfield	Miss Marion Palmer	74	11	1	Concord		F	W	S	At home	Joseph Palmer	Mary A. Fookes
July 7	Northfield	Herman Schaffer	92	4	5	Boston, Mass.	M		W	W	Barber	——	——
July 22	Northfield	Alvina D. Dearborn	53	8	25	Franklin		F	W	M	Housewife	Henry Dumonlin	Azelie Dubois
July 24	Franklin	Eugene H. Bickford	70	3	24	Penacook	M		W	M	Gas sta. oper.	Millard Bickford	Elizabeth Bonney
Oct. 16	Northfield	Luther H. Morrill	79	4	0	Webster	M		W	M	Machinist	Charles C. Morrill	Mary D. Adams
Nov. 28	Northfield	Charles P. Foster	..	1	28	Franklin	M		W			Carroll P. Foster	Marie L. Archibald
Nov. 28	Northfield	Arthur P. Thomas	70	1	16	Tilton	M		W	M	Real estate	Richard Thomas	Mary H. Smythe
Dec. 21	Franklin	Florence B. Riordan	58	0	16	Northfield		F	W	M	Housewife	John J. Brown	Florence Jeffrey

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIMEON R. WALKER, Town Clerk.